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In re Application of :  
SCOTT D. AUGUSTINE ET AL :  
Application No. 08/855,061 : DECISION GRANTING PETITION  
Filed: May 13, 1997 : UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)  
Attorney Docket No. AUGA01000012 :

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed September 19, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.


The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely reply to the Office action mailed February 4, 2005, which set a one month time limit for reply. No reply having been received, the date of abandonment of this application is March 5, 2005.

The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that (1) the reply; (2) the petition fee of \$750; and (3) the required statement of unintentional delay have been received. Accordingly, the reply to the Office action of February 4, 2005 is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3218.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 3711 for appropriate action on the amendment filed September 19, 2005.

  
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